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In re application of: Carnevali, Jeffrey D.)

20 Serial No.: 09/733,691)

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25 Title: Universally Positionable Mounting Device)

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35 Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 16, 2001, please enter the following Amendment:

IN THE CLAIMS

40 ~~43~~ (Once Amended) An interlocking ball and socket joint comprising:
a coupling member partially formed of a resilient deformable material in a substantially smooth spherical shape having an unconstrained diameter and substantially encompassing a

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